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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Amend claims 2-11 and 13 -14 as follows:

--2. (Amended) The multiple-pole electric machine as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said armature winding is a wave winding without being lapped at the extension.--

--3. (Amended) The multiple-pole electric machine as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said armature winding is a wave winding being partially lapped at the extension.--

--4. (Amended) The multiple-pole electric machine as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said armature winding is a pole-pitch wave winding.--

--5. (Amended) The multiple-pole electric machine as claimed in Claim 1, wherein said armature winding is located in the slot with a single strand of the wires in each layer and both two sides of the wires contact the wall of the iron core.--

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